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The Honorable Gregory H. Woods  
 United States District Judge  
 Daniel Patrick Moynihan United States Courthouse  
 500 Pearl Street  
 New York, New York 10007

**Re: *United States v. Wayne J. Morgan, Jr., 20 Cr. 543 (GHW)***

Dear Judge Woods:

The Government respectfully submits this letter motion in connection with the initial conference in matter set for November 2, 2020, at 11:00 a.m. The Government understands that the defense wishes to proceed by videoconference, to which the Government has no objection.

The Government further requests, on consent, that the time between today and the next conference be prospectively excluded under the Speedy Trial Act, 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(A), in the interest of justice. The exclusion of time will allow the government to produce discovery, the defense to review discovery, and the parties to discuss a potential resolution of the case without trial.

Respectfully submitted,

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Application denied without prejudice. Counsel for the United States is directed to review and comply with the Court's Individual Rules of Practice in Criminal Cases. Counsel may renew this request in compliance with Rule 2(E) of those rules. Counsel for the United States is specifically directed to comply in the future with the Rule 1 of those rules. Counsel for the United States appears not to have done so in this case, first notifying the Court of the case after 8:00 p.m. on the day after the indictment was wheeled out to Judge Woods.

SO ORDERED

Dated: October 16, 2020  
 New York, New York

GREGORY H. WOODS  
 United States District Judge